28 May 1965

MEMORANDUM	FOR:	

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SUBJECT:

Suggestion for Proposed Legislation Section of CSD Report

- 1. Suggest adding following sentence to paragraph one:
  "Both bills provide a basis for the Agency to obtain an exemption
  from their scope on the basis of administrative action."
- 2. In the second sentence of paragraph two, suggest striking "it was pointed out in." Insert "pointed out" after "1965" and add at end, "and requested statutory exemption for the Agency."
- 3. Pursuant to your request for language to be used to report the present status of the bill, suggest following:

'Hearings on S. 1584 have not yet been held in the Senate. Hearings on H.R. 4845 have been concluded in the House and are to be published soon. The Committee Report on H.R. 4845 is still being assembled, and while it is not contemplated that the Committee will accede to the Agency's request for a statutory exemption, it is expected that the Report will acknowledge our unique problems and indicate that the Agency clearly falls within the purview of the administrative exemption provision in the bill."

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Proposed Legislation:

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HK 4845 (Brooks Bill) and S.1584, 89th Congress, 1st Session, have 🖾 🖟 been introduced "To provide for the economic and efficient purchase, and lease, maintenance, operation, and utilization of automatic data Bulls provide a basis for the Oyen, hat the The Title To The Contract of the C The basic objectives of the proposed legislation have been endorsed by ... the Agency. However, it was pointed out in a letter from the DDCI to the Chairman, Committee on Government Operations, House of Representatives, dated 8 April 1965, that existing legislation provides ... That the Director of Central Intelligence shall be responsible for protecting intelligence sources and methods from unauthorized disclosure; ... " and requested statiting exemption in the agent to is expected that legislation will be enacted to clearly establish Government-wide and intra-Agency responsibilities and authority .. Held of automatic data processing. Meanwhile, this Agency is engaged in clarifying its own ADP structure and strengthening

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